

SHIPS RUSH IN ANSWER TO S.O.S. FROM OLD GLORY

S. S. Transylvania Alters Its
Course To Assist Plane
In Distress

OTHER SHIPS RESPOND
Give Position As About 500
Miles Off Cape
Race

NEW YORK, Sept. 7 (I.N.S.)—Three trans-Atlantic passenger steamers are rushing to the assistance of the New York-to-Rome monoplane Old Glory, which sent out an S O S message when 500 miles east of Cape Race, Newfoundland, early today.

The S. S. Transylvania, bound for New York, informed the Radio Corporation of America by wireless at 5:30 o'clock this morning that it had received the Old Glory's S O S, and had altered its course to lend the airplane assistance.

The steamers Lapland and Carmania, bound for New York from Europe, also received the request for help, and are steaming toward the spot to lend the fliers all possible aid.

The Old Glory was a land plane, and is not equipped with pontoons which would make a landing on the ocean possible. The fear was expressed here that the plane had been forced to descend, and that as soon as the plane hit the water the radio was put out of commission, which would account for the fact that no further word was received after the appeal for help had been sent out.

The Old Glory hopped off from Old Orchard, Me., at 12:26 yesterday afternoon on an attempted flight across the Atlantic to Rome. The plane carried Lloyd Bertand and James De Witt Hill, pilot and navigator, with Philip Payne, managing editor of the New York Daily Mirror and representative of William Randolph Hearst, sponsor of the flight, as a passenger.

A message from Captain Bone, of the Transylvania, said that the position of the Old Glory at the time the S O S was sent was indicated as 49:50 north latitude and 41:15 west longitude. The Transylvania was in latitude 50:48 north and longitude 42:02 west. Captain Bone immediately altered his course to go to the plane's assistance.

The Lapland and Carmania have also altered their courses to go to the aid of the fliers.

The position given by Captain Bone indicates that the vessel was only eighty-three miles away from the Old Glory when the S O S was received at 8:09 o'clock, G. M. T. (3:09 a. m., New York daylight time) this morning.

A number of other trans-Atlantic vessels are also near the spot where the Old Glory sent out the call for assistance.

The S. S. California, which was in communication with Old Glory shortly before midnight, when the plane was 200 miles east of Cape Race, also heard the plane's S O S. The captain of the California estimated the position of the plane as 51:21 north latitude and 40:48 west longitude.

The Independent Wireless Company announced it had also picked up the Old Glory's S O S, and confirmed the position given by Captain Bone.

The Independent Wireless Company said the captain of the Transylvania sent an additional message saying the vessel was proceeding at full speed toward the Old Glory, but that there was no moon and that the search for the plane consequently might be difficult.

Although the weather over the ocean was generally favorable, the weather bureau reported the presence of a low pressure area and some rain within 500 miles east of the Newfoundland coast. It is believed possible that the Old Glory may have met with trouble in encountering bad weather in the eastern part of this area.

The message from Captain Bone stated that fresh westerly wind was blowing at the time the message for assistance was received. The Old Glory's S O S, Captain Bone said, was "very strong and clear."

Prior to the receipt of the S O S message, the Old Glory was reported to be making good progress on its flight.

Rev. William C. Boyer To Lecture To Fathers' Ass'n

An illustrated talk on the Congo will be given at the meeting of the Fathers' Association of the Bristol High School tomorrow night by the Rev. William C. Boyer, at eight o'clock.

The meeting will take place in the auditorium, commencing promptly at the time designated.

Rev. Boyer has spent many years as a missionary in Africa and is well able to handle the subject.

Vocal solos will be rendered by John Brehm, and there will be group singing by the members.

MISS ELLERY RETURNS

Miss Louise Ellery, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John Ellery, of Mulberry street, returned to her home today, after an enjoyable trip through the West and Vancouver.

Miss Helen Fine Entertains In Honor of Her Sister

Friday evening, Miss Helen Fine, of 255 Wood street, entertained at a "farewell" party at her home in honor of her sister, Mrs. Mulford Callanan, of Mill street, who will sail at midnight today on the Cunard liner, "Tuscania," for Cherbourg, France, with the Helen Fairchild's nurses unit of Philadelphia to attend the American Legion Convention in Paris.

Mrs. Callanan will while there visit the important cities of England, Germany, France and Italy, as well as those of other European countries. She will also take a trip up the Rhine and will be gone about two months.

The guests at the party were: Mrs. Mulford Callanan, Mrs. Edward Laing, Mrs. Raymond Wright, Mrs. Louise Cornell, Miss Anita Kilcoyne, Mrs. Matthew Lincoln, Mrs. William H. H. Fine, Mrs. Harry M. Arnold, Mrs. Elwood Goslin, Miss Marian Priestley, Miss Hilda Pope, Mrs. Carl Wenzel, Mrs. Edward Stetson, Mrs. Harry Wright, Mrs. J. Arthur Fine and Mrs. William K. Highland.

The game of "500" was played and four tables of players were arranged. Prizes were won by Mrs. Edward Laing, Mrs. Louise Cornell and Mrs. J. Arthur Fine.

SIXTY-FOUR ATTORNEYS TO RE-ENACT SCENE

Will Depict Sessions of the
Continental Congress
At York

OTHER STATE NEWS

YORK, Pa., Sept. 7 (I.N.S.)—When sixty-four members of the York County Bar Association gather here October 13-15, to re-enact the sessions of the Continental Congress in York during the British occupation of Philadelphia in the winter of 1777-1778, they will give their services free to York's Sesquicentennial Committee, thereby working for approximately \$30 a week less than the wages the Colonies paid the men whose roles the attorneys will take.

In a letter written by Jonathan Elmer, a delegate from the state of New Jersey to the Continental Congress in York, dated Nov. 20, 1777, he mentioned that it cost him 20 shillings a day, or about five dollars, to represent the New Jersey Legislature in the Continental Congress. He said it cost him 65 pounds to support himself and his horse during the seven weeks he stayed here. He stated that delegates from other states received salaries of five to eight dollars a day.

John Adams, delegate to the Continental Congress from Massachusetts, told his wife in a letter from York that the pay he received from his State was hardly sufficient to pay one hired man on his farm near Boston.

When the Congress assembled in York for the first time, according to George R. Prowell, local historian, it was composed of no more than thirty members. There were never more than 40 members present at one time, although the total number of delegates was 64. Twenty-six of this number were signers of the Declaration of Independence.

LEWISTOWN, Pa., Sept. 7 (I.N.S.)—Familiar faces at the teachers' desks greeted Lewistown's school children when they trooped back to their studies here, ninety of the ninety-one teachers for last term having been re-elected this year. The only teacher missing was Miss Kate Swan, whose death followed her retirement after fifty years of service.

Addressing the teachers, Prof. L. R. DeLong, of State College, said that the community is to be congratulated on retaining all of the last term instructors.

Personal Notes

—Miss Anna May Miller, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Miller, of 318 Mill street, is passing the remainder of the week at Asbury Park, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd and family, of Beaver street, have returned to their home from a several days' holiday visit to Mr. and Mrs. Boyd's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Zimmerman, of Mount Carmel, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chamberlain, of Bloomfield, N. J., returned to their home on Tuesday following a four days' visit to Mrs. Chamberlain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis T. Girton, of 320 Mill street.

—Miss Anna Brady, of 417 Radcliffe street, has again taken up her duties as a member of the faculty of Bristol public schools, following a lengthy vacation spent in Maine.

—Mrs. Helen Anderson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has returned to her home following an extended visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, of Bath street.

TO GIVE SUPPER

The Mothers' Association of the Bristol public schools will give a supper on the evening of October 20th.

NOTICE

The coal and lumber office of Peirce & Williams will be open on Saturday afternoons, commencing September 10th. (Adv.)

Questions That Answer Themselves

(EDITORIAL)

THROUGHOUT the entire period of its present ownership, the Bucks County Independent has never been known to make a clear or direct answer to any question put to it, bearing upon issues which it has espoused in political campaigns. It has preferred to be slippery and evasive in its own obvious and very clumsy way. Such being the case, it is quite characteristic of that newspaper's erratic, inconsistent and irresponsible attitude toward all matters of public moment that it should assume the right to propound questions of its own—apparently with the expectation of being answered, as though by a decent record of its own in that respect, it had earned the right to ask and be answered.

Because of the facts just stated, we don't think that the Bucks County Independent has any such right. It is not in recognition of any such right that we take cognizance of certain inquiries which the Independent asked in its issue of last week. We are actuated by considerations relating to the public interest. For, while the Independent's questions were addressed to an individual and not to the Courier, and the Courier is not to be assumed to be expressing other than its own opinions in this editorial, the questions nevertheless afford this newspaper a most excellent opportunity of driving certain things home to the citizens of this community; and of that opportunity we propose to take advantage.

We know the futility of vain wishes. Nevertheless, the first thought that comes to our mind as we read over again the editorial which appeared in last week's Independent, is the hope that some day that newspaper may have the spunk to lay aside its nauseating bigotry, substitute candid discussion for cowardly deception, cease its underhand play upon individual prejudice, stop insulting the Burgess, Borough Council and all others constructively active in our public life, shelve its over-worked and threadworn bugaboo called one-man domination, show at least some evidence of a desire to be decent and fair, and make one sincere effort to discuss public questions with candor and courage instead of through a smoke screen created out of ignorance, narrow-mindedness, malice and misunderstanding.

It so happened—and it was a most fortunate coincidence, in our opinion—that upon the very day that the Independent's questions were promulgated and addressed to an individual citizen (of course with the sole and specific purpose in mind of playing upon carefully cultivated prejudices), the Republican voters of this community received from the Chief Burgess of Bristol one of the clearest and most courageous statements ever made by an individual citizen or a public official of this town in defense of truth, justice, clear understanding, and the interests of the general citizenship.

The Independent, therefore, probably knows now to what sources its inquiries should have been addressed—not, as by its malicious design, to a single individual in Borough Council, (Continued on Page Four)

BOWLING ALLEYS OPEN NEXT FRIDAY EVENING

Match Games To Be Played
Between Trenton And
Bristol

INVITE THE LADIES

The Bristol Recreation Centre will be officially opened, according to plans, on Friday evening, September 9th.

The attraction for the opening of the new bowling alleys will be an exhibition match between two of the best picked teams from Trenton and Bristol. Mr. Curtis in picking the Trenton aggregation has rounded up champions of various types to be included in his five man representation.

The Bristol fans will be treated to a night of rare pleasure when they witness the Trenton quintet strive to show their wares and endeavor to take the laurels from Bristol.

The Trenton line-up will consist of Hobson, Cronin, Vogler, Termon and Fisher. Hobson is the champion of Trenton, for season of 1926-27, having been honored so for his showing in the Trenton League. Cronin was the winner of the Interstate Sweepstakes championship match in which the pick of Pennsylvania and New Jersey were entered. Vogler is a respected bowler and is a capable supporter on any team as are Termon and Fisher. It is only a question of breaks as to which one of the quintet comes off with the individual match honors.

The Bristol team, which has not as yet been absolutely decided on, will undoubtedly be comprised of Wenzel, M. Allen, Roper, Capewell and Amis. These men represented Bristol in the interstate championships held in Trenton last year and gave a very good account of themselves. They are capable, providing interesting games against the best of Trenton's beaties, and have even chances of keeping the honors of victory in Bristol.

The match game is scheduled to start at 8 p. m., promptly. The public is cordially invited to witness this exhibition; arrangements are being made to provide for ladies especially.

The hall on completion will consist of 6 bowling alleys, 8 pool tables, one billiard table, and a large equipped ladies' reception room.

The Bristol Bowling League will start their season officially on these alleys Monday, September 12, and the Rohm & Haas League will open on Sept. 20th.

NAVY'S DIRIGIBLE PASSES OVER HERE AT NIGHT

Los Angeles Cruises From
Lakehurst to Harrisburg
And Return

GLISTENS IN MOONLIGHT

Watched by Bristolians and thousands of persons in other towns it passed over, the Navy dirigible Los Angeles last night cruised from its hangar at Lakehurst, N. J., to Harrisburg and returned, carrying a passenger list which included the nation's leading experts on lighter-than-air craft.

The dirigible passed over Bristol at 8:30, its motor attracting the attention of many. Then it cruised over Humesville, then to Pottsville at 9 o'clock, turned to the Schuylkill County fair grounds, where 50,000 visitors there looked at it in the moonlight.

The giant craft was a beautiful sight gliding through the air at night in the moon's radiance, under command of Lieutenant Commander Charles E. Rosendahl. She was making a test without using her water recovery system. It was sighted in Harrisburg at 10:58 o'clock, turning about there and heading east. State police in Mannheim saw it returning at 11:20. The Los Angeles carried C. P. Burgess, of the Naval Bureau of Aeronautics; Dr. W. Klemperer, one of its designers; S. F. DeFrance, National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics, and Congressman I. H. Doutrich, Harrisburg.

FLOWER DISPLAY

There will be a fine display of asters and other flowers at the gardens of Samuel Updyke, Beaver Dam Road and Oak street, for about one week. The public is invited to go out and see them.

ENROUTE HOME

Frank Lynn, son of John S. Lynn, of Mill street, who has been touring through the Southern States, started home on September 5th, expecting to arrive in Bristol on Sunday.

CHICKEN SUPPER

The annual harvest home chicken supper of the Emilie M. E. Church will be served on the evening of Wednesday, September 14th, on the church lawn. Suppers will be served between the hours of five and nine o'clock. Tickets have been placed on sale and it is expected that the affair will be as well patronized this year as it has been on previous occasions.

LATE NEWS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 7 (I.N.S.)—Senator James E. Watson is suffering from duodenal ulcer and must remain at the Mayo Brothers' Hospital in Rochester, Minn., for thirty days, it was reported here today.

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 7 (I.N.S.)—With three more cases of infantile paralysis reported here within twenty-four hours, health authorities today took every precaution against spread of the dread epidemic.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 7 (I.N.S.)—Highway Department engineers expect completion of the last section of the Lincoln Highway, west of Pittsburgh, early next week. Unless bad weather interferes with the contractor it is expected the section will be opened to traffic about October 1.

RENOVATED COURT ROOM PROVES VERY ATTRACTIVE

Quite A Number of Cases
Were Heard at Opening
Term

SEVERAL FROM BRISTOL

DOYLESTOWN, Sept. 7.—Much business confronted the court yesterday morning at the regular miscellaneous term held in the renovated court room on the first floor. A great deal of favorable comment was made concerning the changes that have converted the room from a rather dark and dismal-looking room to a bright and cheerful room.

The new center-dome light of 4300 candle-power and the new buff-colored wall covering are but two of the numerous improvements.

Lizzie Tunnis and Pasquale Fusco, of Bristol, were brought into court yesterday on a surety charge by Elizabeth McBride, of Bristol, a neighbor, who charged that both the defendants had threatened to kill her and were a general nuisance. After hearing testimony on both sides, Judge Ryan directed that the costs in the case be divided between Fusco and the prosecutrix, Elizabeth McBride, and the defendants would be discharged.

Three Frank brothers, Douglas, 13, Wallace, 10, and Kempton, 9, of Bristol, sons of Christian Frank, were before Judge Ryan yesterday, after being arrested by Chief of Police Cooper, of Morrisville. The boys admitted breaking into various stores and garages and stealing money and tools. Their father is a baker in Trenton. Altogether, \$34 in money was stolen. Judge Ryan made it plain to the father that he must pay back the money stolen and the case was continued until October 6 to give him time to pay up. The father was also advised to conduct better supervision over his boys.

Charged with desertion and non-support of his wife and child, Russell Allen, of Bristol, was before Judge Ryan yesterday, on the information of his wife, Mrs. Eva Allen. They were married in 1919 and the defendant worked in Trenton for a time at the former Mott foundry. While in New Jersey, they had domestic trouble and an agreement was entered into whereby Allen was to pay his wife \$10 a week toward her support.

The Court ruled that Bucks County had no jurisdiction in the case since there was no evidence of desertion in Bucks County, and advised Mrs. Allen that she could sue on the agreement if she thought it worth while.

When Andrew Nizzio, of Kummery, near Quakertown, was ready to be arraigned in court yesterday on a charge of surety, it was found that the man was ill and the case was continued. Nizzio was in court but one of the jailers informed the court that the man was found unconscious the previous morning in his cell.

Raymond C. Kirk, of Newtown township, a carpenter employed in Churchville, was in court yesterday on a desertion and non-support case brought by his wife, whom he married seven months ago. She testified that her husband left her on July 16 and has not supported her since that time. She said that she was not willing to go back and live with him since he had failed to make things "like home" for her. It was admitted by Mrs. Kirk in court that her mother and her husband were not on speaking terms.

Kirk testified that he was making \$40 a week and that he had given his wife between \$10 and \$15 a week and paid all the board and grocery bills. He said that he was willing to go back with his wife and make a home for her.

Judge Ryan advised the two to talk it over, advising them further that the best thing to do, would be to live together again. Mrs. Kirk refused to make a decision at this time and the Court made an order of \$12 a week to be paid by Kirk to his wife.

Arthur Manero, aged 23, of Bristol, son of a well known business man of that borough, was directed yesterday by Judge Ryan to pay his wife \$12 a week toward her support and to give security in the sum of \$500 to pay the order. Mrs. Manero said that her husband was lazy and would not work. They were advised to get together, the husband to go to work, and both to start living together again.

NEARLY 100 PUPILS ENROLL AT SCHOOLS

First Day of Term is Busy One
For the Teaching
Staff

TO CONTINUE MUSIC

Ninety-four beginners were admitted to the Bristol public schools the first day of the new term yesterday, according to a report made at the monthly meeting of the school board last night, by Superintendent James.

Twenty-one were admitted at the Washington street building; 12, Beaver street; 21, Jefferson avenue; 24, Wood street, and six at the Harriman building. Thirty-five non-resident pupils have applied for admission to the high school.

Superintendent James also reported that 29 pupils had attended the sessions of the summer school and all but three had satisfactorily passed their examinations.

Report of Treasurer Metzger was read, approved and ordered spread upon the minutes.

It was stated that during the readjustment perhaps some of the pupils had been misplaced but that affairs would be straightened out within a short time and the indulgence of the parents will be appreciated.

The entire corps of teachers was present yesterday, numbering 65 in all.

The board authorized the continuance of the music course with teachers from Temple College, Philadelphia.

Janitors were re-elected and it was voted to pay the teachers \$50 of their salary on September 15th.

Members of the board present were Green, Taylor, Fabian, Gillis.

Meeting Place Changed

The meeting of the Pastor's Aid Society of the Methodist Church which was scheduled to take place at the home of Mrs. Charles Dungan, Bath street, tomorrow, will be held at the home of Mrs. William Betz, 315 Walnut street, instead, owing to illness in the family to Mrs. Dungan. The session will commence at 3 p. m.

UPPER END OFFICIALS AND BUSINESS MEN SEE BRISTOL IMPROVEMENTS; LAUD LEADERS

Over Two Hundred Community Leaders of Perkasie, Quakertown, Sellersville Surprised by Progress Made by The Lower End Metropolis in Recent Years

HEAR THE INSIDE STORIES OF CHANGES WROUGHT

(From Doylestown Intelligencer, September 3rd)

(By Staff Correspondent)
BRISTOL, Sept. 3.—Upper Bucks county borough officials, bankers and business men, about 200 in number, made a visit of inspection to Bristol, yesterday, and went home, they said, amazed by the remarkable municipal improvements they found had been made during the past decade or two.

More than 200 men were in the automobile party that reached this place about 3:30 and remained until 10 p. m.

They came as the guests of the Bristol Courier, in response to a challenge to Bristol to invite them to come to see the town—many of them for the first time.

They went home, their talks at a luncheon indicated, determined to come back again to more thoroughly study Bristol's plan for getting improvements inspired by what they had seen and enthusiastically praising Councilman Joseph R. Grundy and his associates who have been responsible for the transformation which has taken place in Bristol in less than 20 years, much of it within the past decade.

Mr. Grundy's modesty in evading reference to his part in planning for and getting the improvements, as he outlined the history of the town's development from its earliest history, evidently did not deceive his visitors, who represented all political faith, for in the course of the afternoon a prominent leader of the Upper End remarked: "I'm sorry the Upper End has not had a foresighted leader and Santa Claus such as Bristol has had."

"Mr. Grundy is not a Santa Claus," retorted Solicitor Howard I. James, who has been another of the fighters for municipal improvement here. "Santa Claus comes but once a year, but Mr. Grundy is on the job 365 days in the year, just as unselfishly."

Met by Editor Serrill Dettelson, of the Bristol Courier, and officials of the borough at the community building, the visitors were welcomed and then taken on a tour of places of interest.

They saw the post-office building, the new railroad station, the handsome new concrete canal bridge which replaces a narrow death-trap, the community house given to the town by Mr. Grundy, the water plant and filtration plant which is capable of providing the town with 3,000,000 gallons of excellent water, the extensive sewer plant capable of taking care of the town's needs for many years to come, the mammoth Harriman school building, the great new industries and the older ones, the extremely handsome new building to house (Continued on Page Four)

DRUNKEN DRIVERS GIVEN WARNING BY JUDGE RYAN

Frank Palmer, Jr., Stockton, N. J., Pays Fine of \$200 And Costs

THREE MONTHS IN JAIL

Such Men Will Receive Impressive Sentence, Says Judge

DOYLESTOWN, Sept. 7.—Drunken drivers who continue to operate automobiles on the highways of Bucks County received a warning yesterday when Judge William C. Ryan, presiding at the regular term of miscellaneous court held a week before the opening of the regular criminal term, sentenced Frank Palmer, Jr., aged 22, of Stockton, N. J., to pay a fine of \$200 and costs and serve three months in the Bucks County Prison.

Palmer pleaded guilty to the offense, saying that he was sick but not intoxicated, other than being "under the influence of two bottles of beer" purchased at a refreshment stand near Lumberville, Bucks County, on July 31st.

The defendant was arrested by Patrolman Walker, of the Edison substation of Highway Patrol, who was called to Erwinna at 11 o'clock at night to arrest Palmer, who had been in a fight with another motorist.

Judge Ryan issued a warning when sentencing Palmer, that drunken drivers who come before the county court in the future will receive an impressive sentence.

John M. Harr, 29, of Quakertown, pleaded guilty yesterday to breaking and entering several places in Quakertown on August 16. The criminal records show that Harr was sentenced by Judge Ryan over two years ago to serve not less than two and one-half or more than five years in the Eastern State Penitentiary, and that Harr was recently paroled from that sentence.

Chief of Police Rhoades, of Quakertown, arrested Harr. Judge Ryan recommended Harr to the Eastern Penitentiary to serve out his sentence originally imposed and at the expiration of that sentence to begin another sentence of not less than one or more than two years in the Eastern Penitentiary.

Frank Swarchak, aged 19, of Trenton, N. J., pleaded guilty yesterday before Judge Ryan to felonious entry, larceny and receiving stolen goods at the "Four Shades" refreshment stand near Morrisville on June 27. Swarchak served time in Trenton jail and was recently turned over to the Morrisville police. He stole goods valued at \$187. Criminal records show that the defendant has served time before, Judge Ryan sentenced him to serve not less than six months or more than one year in the Bucks County Prison.

Jacob F. Lush, of Willow Grove, who was directed by Justice of the Peace Irvin M. James, of Doylestown, to pay a fine of \$10 and costs recently when arrested by a State Highway Patrolman for an automobile law violation, appealed his case to the Court of Quarter Sessions. The case was called yesterday before Judge Ryan. (Continued on Page Four)

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1927

OUR COLLEGE BOYS

One of the Bristol service clubs has made it an annual custom to entertain just prior to the commencement of activities at the many colleges throughout the land, the young men of Bristol and vicinity who have entered or are about to enter any of the institutions of higher learning.

The initial procedure of this kind proved so satisfactory that it has become a custom. Just within the past few days several dozen college boys were entertained at lunch by said club, and afterward listened to a talk delivered by a New Jersey educator.

There are two distinct advantages to such an affair. Firstly, those young men, just out of high school, who have been wondering whether it is more to their advantage to pursue their studies further or whether it will pay them better financially speaking to find employment at once, and who have chosen the former course, know they have the approval of business and professional men of the town. Secondly, those who have commenced their pursuit of higher subjects, will be spurred on to greater effort and endeavor, because of the interest manifest in their well-being.

Those who have completed their scholastic careers, and have been out to battle in the world for a few years, are encouraging in the best possible manner the youth of the town by displaying an interest in their welfare.

ADVERTISING CAN DO IT

So much has been said and printed in recent months concerning the supposedly sorry plight of the woolen industry that many are inclined to believe that it is in worse shape than is really the case. To counteract this impression a reassuring statement has been issued by the publicity division of the committee on distribution of the industry which is functioning under the Whiteside plan.

It takes the position that the woolen and worsted industry is in a strong strategic position. Costs have been thoroughly deflated and the general level of production efficiency is high. These things being so, the mills are able to concentrate on efforts outside to increase the sale and use of woolen fabrics.

From this heartening start the industry proposes to co-operate with manufacturers of goods made from woolen fabrics in conducting an extensive and intensive campaign to educate the public to use more wool.

The fact is that men have not been buying the clothing they ought or replenishing their wardrobes when they should. The average man has fewer suits and clothing accessories today than he had a few years ago. With women the use of woollens has suffered from two causes. Their clothes contain fewer square yards of material and they have adopted silk as the material for the larger part of their wardrobe.

Having perfected a way to weave fabrics from wool yarn, the woolen industry expects to be able to win back much of the trade it lost to the silk and imitation silk industry. With the aid of the strong-arm of advertising it plans to start a great "retreat back to wool."

News of Nearby Towns

Newportville

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rose and son, Elwood, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes on Sunday.
Miss Caroline Black spent the week-end with friends in Brooklyn.
Miss Elizabeth Carter spent the afternoon at the home of Miss Edna Everett.

The "Cheerful Workers" of Newportville, or the sewing circle, is to meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Birky, September 14th.
Mr. Earl Moffett and Mrs. Warren Christie visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes on Sunday.

Miss Barbara Wilson is suffering from bruises and cuts which she received Tuesday evening when hit by a car. Her head is gashed and she has various cuts and bruises on her legs and arms.

Ruth and Albert Reisse have spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Lee.

Emilie

Miss Edith Johnson, of Bristol, was a recent guest of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stackhouse.

Remember the annual harvest home supper at the Emilie M. E. Church, Wednesday, September 14.

Mr. Charles Conklin, of Philadelphia, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Cox.

Miss Eva Stephen, of Philadelphia, week-ended at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blinn.

Mr. R. Allan Snyder, of Philadelphia, was a Monday caller of Mrs. W. W. Blinn and Miss Lillie Wilson.

Miss Alma Harris is spending several days with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence T. Blinn and daughter, June, of Trenton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blinn several days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox, Mrs. Harry Yost, Mrs. Charles Conklin and Mr. S. VanHorn motored to Vineland Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Yost, Mrs. Charles Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Cox and Mr. S. VanHorn, were Wednesday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Palmer, of Woodbourne.

Mrs. Mark B. Bacon has improved her property with a coat of paint.

Mr. Frank R. Wright was a recent guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weaver, of Pittman, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. William Newbold, of Langhorne, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Winder, of Fallsington, and Miss Lillie Wilson have returned home from a Grange conference of the Middle Atlantic States held at Rutgers' College, New Brunswick, also trips to New Jersey State College and the Walker-Gordon Dairy at Plainsfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yost, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Cox and Mr. S. VanHorn motored to Long Branch on Sunday.

Mrs. George Garretson, of Edgely, was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blinn.

Miss Lillie Wilson was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Winder, of Fallsington, were Sunday supper guests of Miss Lillie Wilson. Miss Wilson and her guests attended a Young Friends' Fellowship meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Winder, of Morrisville.

Mrs. John Bruce and two granddaughters, were recent callers of Mrs. John Morrell, who has been confined to her home with illness.

The Emilie Y. M. A. A. met at the home of Warren Bruce on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William Shoemaker entertained her Sunday School class at her home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hagarty and family, of Horsham; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Davis and family, of Wilkes-Barre, are spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hillborn.

Alma Harris and James Harris, Jr., had their tonsils removed at Harriman Hospital on Wednesday.

Mrs. Albert E. Snyder and daughters, Eleanor and Grace, and friends, of Philadelphia, are spending the week at Miss Eva Stephen's home.

Mrs. Ida Wright, Mrs. William Lovett, Mrs. Paul Lodge were Tuesday callers of Miss Anna Booz and Mrs. William Hillborn.

Miss Emma Jacoby, of Wissinoming, is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. John Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Roberts and family moved to Fallsington on Tuesday.

Mrs. Edwin Willet and Mr. Raymond Willet, of Trenton, were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Cox.

Mrs. W. W. Blinn and Miss Lillie Wilson were Wednesday callers of Mrs. Albert E. Snyder.

SOUTH LANGHORNE

William J. Eckhardt, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Colin Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blittie and family have moved from the corner of Durham Road and the Highway into the home formerly owned by Colin Campbell on the Highway, near Centre street.

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Mrs. William F. Boulden is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Bilger, in Germantown.
Treviso Station on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad was robbed again recently. The telephone cash box and chewing gum machines were jimmied open. This station was also robbed about six months ago.

A small show came into town on Monday night, known as the Almore players. The performers give a vaudeville performance each night free of charge and sold soap and medicines.
The South Langhorne Fire Company was called out to a fire along the Neshaminy Creek, near Parkland, on Wednesday afternoon.



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SYNOPSIS

Emmett Murtough, of Killanmaul, Ireland, emigrates to America and is followed by Sheila Kildare, to whom he is betrothed. Sheila makes friends with the family of Jerry O'Shea, a professional boxer whom Emmett courts. Jerry escorts Sheila to Coney Island and takes her on a motor trip. Murtough is jealous, and becomes involved with a bootlegging band of which Murtough is the leader. Murtough drives a truck.

CHAPTER VII—Continued

A sign in the window of Nick's restaurant, "Waitress Wanted," prompted her to inquire. Nick had seen the pretty young Irish girl in the neighborhood. He liked pretty girls and he knew that his patrons did. For her comeliness then he gave her a job, two meals a day, eight dollars a week and her tips. If she was clever he latter would amount to fifteen or eighteen dollars a week, he told her.

The timid Sheila learned with difficulty how to juggle a tray and to dodge waitresses and customers in between tables and chairs, but she accomplished it, and while the work was hard Sheila was young and strong and apparently it did her no harm. She found that Nick was a sharp business man. If a cup broke, the waitress was charged up with it. If a customer complained, Nick scolded his employee roundly in front of the patron in a voice that could be heard

them together at the picture shows a couple of times.

Sheila remained silent. Emmett was philandering again. She had been right, she thought, not to have let herself be persuaded into a marriage with Emmett by her father. Better to keep on working than that.

"He's making lots of dough now," Sadie went on. "I've heard him say he was making sometimes as much as two hundred a week. What's he do?"

"He drives an express truck between here and Philadelphia," Sheila replied, telling Sadie what her father had told her.

"But he only works two or three nights a week. I've heard him say so. Must be precious stuff he's trucking to make that kind of money."

"I don't know what he carries I'm sure."

"Well, take it from me, liquor trucking's the highest paid there is in this town right now," Sadie said sharply.

"You don't think he's bootlegging?" Sheila had learned what everybody knows of the desperate business of those who deal illicitly with contraband beverages.

"How do I know? But big money is paid to drivers who bring in the loads from places where it's landed from the boats."

"Oh, I don't think Emmett would do anything like that!"

"Well, anyway, keep your eye peeled for that little dame he's been playing with; that is if you are interested in your boy friend at all!"

The suspicion that Emmett was bootlegging worried Sheila. Every day she read about capture and gun plays in which rival gangs had shot each other to death. It would be like Murtough to become involved, probably innocently, Sheila thought, in such an enterprise. That he would join such a gang with full knowledge of its purpose she could not believe.

Old Tom Kildare laughed at her suspicions. Emmett was an expert truck driver and it was a dangerous job to drive a big van at high rate of speed at night, naturally the men were well paid for the work. Indeed, Emmett had introduced the older man to some of his friends at the West Side Club and there had been no suggestion that the business he was in was illegitimate. The day-time drivers were paid much less a trip and that was why Murtough had decided to drive at night. Sheila should not be always finding fault with the boy; she should appreciate how he had come on in the world since he arrived in America.

Mamie Cocker summoned Murtough, Al Evans, the guard detailed to his truck, and Dixon, driver of the pilot car, and Williams, his guard, into a private card room at the club.

"I want you men to be particularly careful tonight," he said. "I got a tip that Stevens is out to hijack us out of that stuff that you're to pick up at Montauk. You may have to shoot. If you do, be sure you shoot first. Don't come back and tell me any bull about letting them guys put it over you. I want that stuff; I don't want any excuses when you get back to the city in the morning."

"Any tip off as to where they may lay for us?"

"No, but keep your eyes skinned." He turned directly to Murtough. "Don't let that pilot car get more than fifty feet away from you. They'll probably try to cut you off from Dixon by waiting until he gets by and then trying a stick-up on you. If they try to get you and you get away with the stuff there's an extra century for each of you. If you let 'em get away with it, the only excuse is to be a couple of dead gunmen."

The four men left and mounted the pilot car, a twin six of powerful make, built for speed and durability, for the drive to Montauk Point, where the loaded truck would be waiting at midnight for the return trip to the city. They faced the night with certain bravado which indicated that underlying all their boasts there was cold fear of what might happen.

Dixon pulled a flask out from the side pocket of the machine and held it out. Each took a hearty drink.

"Not too much of that stuff tonight," Dixon warned as he replaced the flask. "But a little Dutch courage never went amiss."

Soon after the car sped smoothly across the Fifty-ninth Street bridge and the four men settled themselves down to the long drive into the night.

The headquarters of Cocker's handing crew was an old house situated far back from the highway and screened partially from the road by thick trees. With all lights out in the habitation no passerby ever would guess that it existed.

The night was cloudy and when the pilot car turned into the sandy driveway there was no sign of life about.

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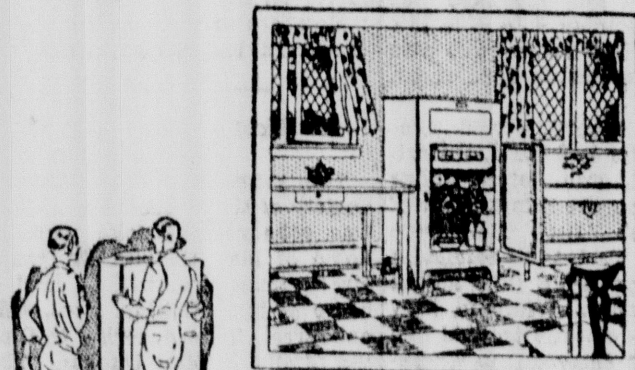
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Meeting of Camp No. 89, P. O. of A. Meeting of Hopkins Lodge No. 89, I. O. O. F. Meeting of Italian Welfare Association. Prayer and praise service in the Methodist Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phipps and daughter, Margaret, of Port Jervis, N. Y., spent Saturday, Sunday and Labor Day in Bristol, visiting Mr. Phipps' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Phipps, of Bath street.

—Mrs. William Gallagher and son, Billy, of 738 Beaver street, have returned to their home from a lengthy vacation spent at Wildwood, N. J.

—Mrs. Mary Dugan, of 203 Buckley street, accompanied by Mrs. Edward O'Brien, of Phillipsburg, N. J., left Bristol on Tuesday to remain for the balance of the week at Atlantic City, N. J., where they will witness the pageant.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Boyle and family, of 931 Garden street, spent Labor Day at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mr. James Thompson and his son, Mr. Francis Thompson, of 811 Pine street, left on Tuesday for Hazleton, Pa., where they will vacation for a week with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Callahan, of Philadelphia, passed the holiday week-end at the home of Mr. Callahan's mother, Margaret Callahan, of Philadelphia, passed the holiday week-end at the home of Mr. Callahan's mother, Margaret Callahan, of Philadelphia, passed the holiday week-end at the home of Mr. Callahan's mother, Margaret Callahan, of Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Patrick Quigley and children, of Bath street and Mrs. Maurice Wade and children, of Pine street, were guests over the week-end and Labor Day of relatives in Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

—Mrs. Mary Sinclair, of Philadelphia, spent the holidays at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts, of 317 Hayes street.

—Miss Elizabeth Crichton, of Walnut street, had as guests last week, Mrs. F. H. Camp and daughters, the Misses Camp, of Clayton, N. J.

—The Misses McCole, of 306 Jefferson avenue, had as Saturday guests, Mr. and Mrs. James Degnan and sons, formerly of Bristol, now of Bloomfield, N. J., and entertained on Labor Day, Mrs. John McGinley and daughters, the Misses McGinley, of Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Robert Patterson, Jr., and her sons, of 352 Jackson street, returned to their home on Labor Day from a several days' stay with Mrs. Patterson's mother, Mrs. L. Eisenbrey, of Morrisville.

—Mrs. Mary Dugan, of 633 New Buckley street, had as a Tuesday guest her niece, Miss Catharine Pantraella, of North Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carroll and family, of 929 Garden street, returned to their home on Labor Day from a ten days' vacation spent at Wildwood, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Tomlinson and

family are moving from 1028 Radcliffe street to Jefferson avenue.

—David and Edward Ferris, Jr., the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ferris, of Eureka, Pa., returned to their home on Tuesday from a week's visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Keys, of Jefferson avenue.

—Miss Marian Smith, of 655 New Buckley street, returned to her home on Labor Day from a fortnight's vacation spent at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mr. Ward Levere, of Jefferson avenue, spent the holidays in Ogdensburg, N. Y., visiting relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Bertolotto and family, of Radcliffe street, have returned to their home from an extended stay at Ocean City, N. J.

—Messrs. Edward McIlvaine, of Dorrance street, and Warren Armstrong, Jr., of Jefferson avenue, week-ended in Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mrs. Mary Dugan, of 639 New Buckley street, had as guests during last week, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, and Mrs. Anna Pantrella, of North Philadelphia, and Mrs. Dugan's son, Mr. William Dugan, of Riverside, N. J.

—Miss Margaret Neill, of 1013 Pond street, was a guest over the week-end of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Coburn, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. Edward Tool, formerly of Bristol, now of the Boulevard, Philadelphia, spent Saturday in Bristol renewing old friendships.

—Mrs. Mary L. Gilkeson, of 920 Radcliffe street, was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Martha Smith, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. Daniel Dugan, of 639 New Buckley street, has returned to his home from a week's stay at Seaside, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Foltz, of 344 Jefferson avenue, will move during September to 401 Jefferson avenue.

—Mrs. Edith Ratcliffe and Mrs. William Harding and daughter, Peggy, of 905 Garden street, and Miss Rose Stephenson, of Jefferson avenue, last week, attended the picnic at Hunting Park, and the Boulevard, Philadelphia, given by the Shepherds of Bethlehem.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullen and son, Harry, Jr., and Miss Anna McDonald, of Mill street; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Petty, of Radcliffe street, with Miss Edith Hampton, of Philadelphia, motored to Philadelphia on Sunday and

visited Mrs. Evans' and Mr. McMullen's brother, Mr. Howard McMullen, who is chief engineer of U. S. A. T. St. Michel, and had dinner as his guests on board the transport which is at Pier 24, Philadelphia. The Bristol party also enjoyed an inspection of the ship.

—Miss Josephine Junod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Junod, of 1610 Trenton avenue, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond De Martellere, of Frankford, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Slaymaker, of Wilson avenue, were guests over the week-end of relatives in Lancaster, Pa.

—Miss Josephine Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Campbell, of 1614 Trenton avenue, left on Wednesday for Garwood, N. J., to pay a lengthy visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Corvelyn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Larrison, of Lambertville, N. J., were guests during last week of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ratcliffe, of 901 Garden street.

—Mr. and Mrs. William A. Campbell, of 348 Jackson street, had as Sunday guests, Mrs. Campbell's mother, Mrs. Laura Crewe, and sisters, the Misses Laura and Mary Crewe, of Alden, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Croner and son, Billy, of Benson Place, left on Wednesday, for Pittsburgh, Pa., to visit relatives. Mr. Croner will return to his home on Tuesday and his wife and son will remain for the month of September.

—Mr. and Mrs. George De Bell and daughter, of Maple Beach, have returned to their home from a fortnight's vacation spent on a motor trip through New York State.

—Miss Anna Junod, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Junod, of 1610 Trenton avenue, has returned to her home from a visit to friends in Drexel Hill, Pa.

—Mrs. Robert Ruehl, of Mill street,

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—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baurth and family, of 346 Jackson street, passed the holiday week-end in Torresdale, visiting Mrs. Baurth's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Chandlerline.

—Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Buchler, Jr., of 203 Jefferson avenue, entertained last week, Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Smith and daughter, Miss Dorothy Smith, of Baltimore, Md.

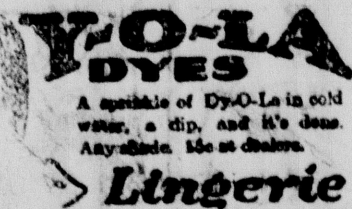
—Miss Alice McCarron and her brother, Paul, of Brooklyn, N. Y., have returned to their home following a vacation of the summer months

spent at the home of their aunt, Miss Mary Doyle, of Otter street.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Wichser, of Dorrance street, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Morgan, of Hightstown, N. J., enjoyed the holidays at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mr. Axel Sommerfeld, of Philadelphia, passed the holidays at the home of his mother, Mrs. S. J. Sommerfeld, of 216 Jackson street.

—Miss Mary Welsh, of Otter street, has been confined to her home for some time with illness.



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all of the municipal bodies, being constructed as a gift to the town by Mr. Grundy, the great improvement made in the streets, Radcliffe street newly paved, the new concrete street paving approximating five miles, and many other of the things of which the town is proud.

Evidently the spirit of the visitors was expressed by Rev. C. B. Weaver, Perkaskie, who said: "I'm ashamed to say this is my first visit to Bristol, but I purpose to come again and bring my whole family here to see your fine town."

With the tour, except that to see the great white way on Mill street, over, the visitors were entertained at dinner at the community house, where Editor Detlefson extended a hearty welcome and then turned the meeting over to Burgess Clifford L. Anderson, who called upon Councilman Joseph R. Grundy, chairman of public works, to give an account of the municipal development of the town.

Bristol, the second oldest town in the State, Mr. Grundy explained, celebrated its 200th anniversary two years ago. He outlined the early shipbuilding, lumbering and merchandising activities and the periods of boom and depression during the community's long life. One of the bright pages of the town, he said, was that period during which it was a summer resort, with its famous springs and racing, frequented by thousands of distinguished persons until Saratoga sprung up. He told of the important period between the adoption of the federal constitution and 1827, the beginning of the busy, bustling commercial and shipping activities. At one time after the building of the canal between Mauch Chunk and Bristol, he said, 4000 canal boats were operating and vessels from all over the world stopped here.

Canal operations languished, however, he said, after the railroad was built and a state of stagnation ensued, with the darkest moments between 1850 and 1860, when steamships nearly ended shipping.

Another period of change came with changing of economic policies due to the Civil War. Blockading the ports assisted in the development of a great industrial structure. Mills and factories came and new prosperity started. Coming to more recent years Mr. Grundy told of the inadequacy of the water service and the refusal of the water company to develop the service to provide for the health and convenience of the people, starting one of the most bitter fights the borough has experienced. Handicapped in this fight by the prudent pioneers who had a \$10,000 debt limit the borough bought the water plant and developed one of the finest in the state.

Sewerage accommodations came next, but it was only after a bitter fight that a plant was gotten.

Traffic had outgrown the narrow entrances and it was necessary to proceed to get wider bridges and better streets, only possible through the enlistment of the aid of state and county.

Then came the war and with it came one of the greatest booms, Bristol being selected because of the foresight of the builders in getting adequate water and sewerage plants, and because it had the shipping point. Hundreds of acres of land were bought and developed and soon the town had an added population of 10,000 with a payroll of \$500,000 weekly compared with \$35,000 as it was before that time. Building for this boom addition alone cost \$8,000,000.

When the greatest part of the boom was over, however, Mr. Grundy said, the street had been ruined and a new problem arose. It was then that Senator Clarence J. Buckman, who has served 20 years in the Legislature with two main ideas, the improvement of the roads and the freeing of the

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river bridges, came to the assistance of the town, giving the aid of his extensive experience in getting state aid.

Mr. Grundy said Bristol feels deeply indebted to the Senator for his assistance. "I believe," he said, "that Senator Buckman has been the means of bringing more community benefits during his 20 years of service than were gotten in all the years before his term of service. He has been instrumental in bringing \$8,000,000 of state funds into the county for improved highways and in committing the State to the spending of more millions in the same way. In addition to this, through his efforts, we have had \$2,000,000 spent by the State in maintenance."

Mr. Grundy also highly praised Borough Solicitor Howard I. James, councilmen and other officials, and the representatives of public utilities for their co-operation in bringing about the improvements which have been gotten.

Summarizing, Mr. Grundy gave the municipal assets as follows: Water plant, \$468,000; sewer plant, \$462,000; storm water sewers, \$81,000; bridges, \$40,000; highways, \$571,000; wharves, \$40,000; sinking fund, \$80,000—leaving clear of bond debt, about \$1,500,000 of public improvements. The borough, he said, is operating on a budget of \$480,000, including the expenses for garbage and ashes collection, with a tax rate of 11 mills, one of the lowest of any comparable borough in the state.

Mr. Grundy also pointed out that the foresighted work of acquiring the water plant has resulted in giving the people this utility rates about one half what any public corporation owning it would charge.

This achievement of jumping from borough assets totaling \$50,000 twenty years ago to \$1,500,000 today, he said, is an accomplishment of which the borough can be very proud—due solely, he said, to the fine co-operation from Senator Buckman, Borough Solicitor Howard I. James, and other borough officials, D. C. Stackpole, highway engineer; W. C. McCahan, county superintendent of state roads; County Commissioner Ernest Harvey; N. B. Bertollette, manager of the Philadelphia Gas & Electric Co., and M. J. Hill, manager of the trolley company.

It Means Real Fighting

Borough Solicitor Howard I. James, next called upon, left no doubt, that getting these improvements mean real fights.

"Why," he said, "even I, borough solicitor at the munificent salary of \$50 a year, was lampooned by an opposition paper—but we are still continuing the fight for the things we know the people need and should get."

Mr. James pictured the horror of gray-haired opponents, who were shocked at the idea of raising the debt limit, and then went on to show how the changes were made possible by an educational campaign and determined fights in the courts.

"But, although you might not know

it from Mr. Grundy's modest evasion concerning his part in these fights," declared Mr. James, "the improvements would not be here had it not been for the part he played."

"No man has done so much for his home town—nor been so vilified. Why should we be proud of him? Isn't that obvious? What does he get out of it? It's simply because he's inspired with love for his own home town."

Charles M. Meredith, Quakertown, president of the National Editorial Association, was introduced as the foremost citizen of the Upper End, and brought greetings to Bristol. Concluding his tribute to Bristol, Mr. Meredith gave a unique alphabetical enumeration of its assets. He paid tribute to the early pioneers of Bristol, and the present boosters, men of vision, willing to suffer and having a willingness to test the future.

High praise was also expressed by Rev. C. B. Weaver, Perkaskie; William F. Day, banker, Sellersville, who pointed out that great leaders have always had their selfish villifiers; Elmer E. Althouse, Sellersville, who introduced the Sellersville delegation; Assistant U. S. District Attorney Mark Thatcher; Wilson L. Yeakel, who introduced the Perkaskians; and Charles

Orr, Quakertown, who said the inspiration of visits like this is needed.

Personal Notes

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and son, Edmund, of Mill street, motored to Atlantic City, N. J., on Saturday, where they remained over Labor Day.

—Mr. Shreve Hartshorne, of Newtown, Pa., is vacationing for a week at the home of Miss Stella Mount, of 639 New Buckley street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Neal McGinley and family, of Otter street, have returned to their home from a lengthy stay at Seaside, N. J., where they occupied a cottage.

—Mrs. John Breslin and daughter, Miss Margaret Breslin and sons, John and James, of Race street; Mr. Maurice Rafferty and nephew, George Heath, Jr., of Buckley street, and Mr. Leonard Fallon, of Croydon, Pa., motored on Labor Day to Kennsburg, N. J., and spent the day there.

—Miss Anna Madden and Miss Sara Rafferty, of Buckley street, accompanied by Miss Mary McFadden, of Wood and Mulberry streets, were visitors on Labor Day in Asbury Park, N. J.

Questions That Answer Themselves

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but to the Burgess of the Borough and to the Borough Council itself, which, with only two dissenting votes, approved the part-paid volunteer fire department ordinance concerning which the Independent asks prepared questions purely for political purposes.

This latter fact is so obvious that the questions need only be briefly repeated to prove the truth of our statement.

The first two questions, for instance, relate to how the consolidated volunteer fire company is to be operated. We would suggest that they read the ordinance.

The next question asks when the new company is to be organized. Without authority to speak for the Burgess or Borough Council, we might nevertheless respond that inasmuch as the Independent itself confesses that the existing companies have refused to co-operate with the Borough to the extent of turning over either a fire station or any apparatus (which prompted Mr. Grundy to offer to provide the Borough with both of those necessities), it is quite probable and almost obvious that the organization of the new or consolidated volunteer company will be coincidental with the installation of the new apparatus in the new Municipal Building when that added improvement to the Borough is completed and ready for occupancy.

With ponderous dignity and idiotic importance the Independent asks: "What is to be the amount of the 'nominal' rental for the fire station and apparatus of which we have been

hearing?" And if they were honest or informed, or had any decent desire to be fair, they would know and would frankly say that the new Municipal Building is given to the Borough outright; that the apparatus is provided under the "nominal rental" legally known as a dollar a year—in other words is provided without cost to the taxpayers, contingent only upon its maintenance and operation under the terms of the ordinance whose purposes and requirements it is to fulfill.

The Independent asks about the personnel, when it knows or ought to know that the ordinance clearly provides—and dozens of times it has been amplified and explained—that the way shall be open, and it is Borough Council's desire, to create the consolidated volunteer company out of members of the existing fire defense who are in good and regular standing, as well as making it open to those not members of such companies, but who have a patriotic desire to serve their Borough as volunteer firemen. Borough Council made this as clear as plain English could make it.

Why ask questions, even for an admitted political purpose, when the answer is so well known to every intelligent member of the community?

The Independent wants to know how much the drivers of three pieces of apparatus are to be paid, and we answer frankly that we don't know, we are quite sure the Burgess doesn't know, we are equally certain that no individual member of Borough Council knows, for the simple reason that this is a detail which will be settled by Borough Council as a whole, in its usual competent and sensible manner, in the best interests of the community and its purposes that are to be served.

In short, the questions put by the Bucks County Independent were not in any respect sincere quests for information, but were merely propounded with the hope of setting up false conclusions in the minds of some of the voters.

All of which is pretty small stuff. And what a contrast, when compared with the courageous and convincing statement of Chief Burgess Clifford L. Anderson, who has had personal knowledge of every factor and development relating to the fire defense question, from its inception right up to the present moment!

The Independent's ammunition seems to consist of "duds."

Drunken Drivers Given Warning By Judge Ryan

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Ryan when it was found that the appeal was not taken in the regulation five days and Judge Ryan directed that the conviction must stand and the appeal was dismissed.

The following petitions were filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday:

Petition of electors of Solebury township for the appointment of a minority inspector.

Petition of electors of first ward, Quakertown, for the appointment of a minority inspector to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Arthur R. Heist.

Petition of the electors of first ward, Quakertown, for the appointment of a judge of elections to succeed Vernon Queler.

Petition of the electors of second ward, Newtown, for the appointment of R. Clifford Sherman as judge of elections to succeed Charles Rempfer, Jr., removed.

Petition of electors of second precinct, third ward, Doylestown, for the appointment of a judge of elections to succeed Jenks Watson, removed.

Petition of the electors of the lower election district, Richland township, for the appointment of Theodore Love, Sr., as minority inspector of elections, to succeed Henry S. Johnson, resigned.

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On all Borough Tax for General Purposes paid on or before August 31st, 1927, A REBATE OF FIVE PER CENT. WILL BE ALLOWED.

On and after September 1st, FIVE PER CENT. PENALTY WILL BE ADDED THERETO, together with the costs allowed by law.

All school tax will be received that (without any discount), up to and including the 30th day of September, 1927, after which date FIVE PER CENT. WILL BE ADDED THERETO and collected in accordance with the Act of Assembly approved May 18th, 1911.

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